

## Alexandria Gazette

MONDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 10.

## LOCAL NEWS.

For this section fair weather, cooler, light to fresh southwesterly winds, veering to northwest early.

**CORPORATION COURT.**—Judge N. B. Meade presiding.—The grand jury, with Maj. Geo. Johnston as foreman, was sworn, but, returning into court with no presentments, were adjourned till to-morrow morning.

The will of Mrs. Elizabeth Fairfax was admitted to probate and Thomas Fairfax and Elibert Fairfax qualified as executors of the estate.

Com. vs. John Curran, indictment for murder; case set for Thursday and jury summoned from Fauquier county.

Com. vs. Wm. Clifford and James Richards, indictment for larceny from the person; case set for to-morrow.

Com. vs. Dennis Anderson, colored, indictment for maliciously and feloniously shooting his wife; case set for Wednesday.

Mary J. Young vs. City Council of Alexandria, suit for damages to property on account of drainage; case set for Wednesday and jury summoned from Fredericksburg.

The remainder of the time of the day's session was occupied in hearing the seven suits brought to establish the genuineness of certain coupons which had been tendered by merchants in payment of their licenses. The jury retired on the first case and in a few minutes returned with a verdict against the State, and in the other six cases returned similar verdicts without leaving the box. The amount in each case was \$742, and the State has to pay the costs in each case.

Court adjourned till to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

**POLICE REPORT.**—Last night was cloudy and warm with eight prisoners and one lodged at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases:

Thos. Ogden, arrested by Officer Tiger for hitting the cheek of G. A. Chichester, was fined \$5.

An ex-police officer, arrested by Officer Davis for being drunk and disorderly, was fined \$2.

Frederick Thompson, colored, arrested by Officers Brenner and McCuen for being drunk and disorderly, was fined \$1.

Ernest Pratt and Euben Adams, two colored boys, arrested by Officer Taylor for disorderly conduct, were fined \$1 each.

Frank Beach and Wm. Pass, arrested by Officer McCuen for an assault on an officer while discharging his duty, were fined \$5 each.

A citizen of the First ward, arrested by Officer Simpson for being drunk on the street, forfeited \$5 collateral.

T. B. Cummings, Granville Columbus, Joe. Hughes, and Geo. Nelson, arrested by Officers Price, Taylor and Simpson for being drunk on the streets, were fined \$1 each.

**PERSONAL.**—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elliott have gone to North Carolina for the benefit of Mrs. Elliott's health.

The many friends of Mrs. Margaret Daingerfield will regret to learn of her serious illness at her country residence, "Huntley," near this city.

Miss Belle Hunter, of Warrenton, is visiting Mrs. Dr. French, on Washington street.

Judge C. E. Stuart left here on Saturday evening for Eastville, Northampton county, where he to-day had an appointment to fill a political engagement. He will return to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Newby have returned from their wedding trip and for the present will reside with the bride's mother, Mrs. English, on South Fairfax street.

Mr. E. Moore K. Stokes, of Fredericksburg, who was formerly connected with this office and has many friends here, passed through the city Saturday night on his way to Montgomery, Ala., where he will make his future home.

Mr. Martin Lawler, who has been confined to his house for the past three months with erysipelas, is getting better but is still unable to be out.

**THE RICHMOND AND DANVILLE.**—A Richmond director of the Richmond and Danville states positively that there will be no change in the executive head of the Richmond and Danville system before the regular meeting in December; probably not then.

Mr. Alfred Sully is president of the line.

**Editorially the State also says:** "Rumors are in the air that friends of Mr. Hildekoper, formerly vice president of the Richmond and Danville, will get control of the road again and make that gentleman president. With Mr. Hildekoper at the head of the system an effort would be made to have the general offices removed back to Washington, where he located them while he had sway. But we are assured that no such movement is contemplated. One thing is certain. If the Richmond and Danville railroad corporation understands its own interest, it will never again try to take the offices out of Virginia."

**SUICIDE.**—Miss Sarah Shaffers, aged about sixty years, who lived half a mile from Marshall, in Fauquier county, committed suicide last Wednesday by hanging herself to the rafters in the garret of her house. Miss Shaffers had been demented for some time past and had on one or two occasions previously thrown herself into a well, where, however, the water was not sufficiently deep to drown her. No immediate cause is known except the condition of her mind. Her brother, who lived in the same house with her went out to work in the morning and when he returned in the evening found her body suspended and cold and stiff in death.

**NARROW ESCAPE.**—Mr. Jas. T. Luckett, of this city, yesterday stepped off a car at Charlottesville to speak to a friend and, as the train started, attempted to get on again. He missed his footing, however, and fell to the ground and was struck on the head, fortunately sustaining but a slight scalp wound, though all of who saw him say he would within an ace of being killed. His wound was dressed by a physician at Charlottesville and later he came on to Rapidan where his family are spending the summer. His injury while painful does not prevent his being about.

**TO BE ARRESTED.**—U. S. Marshal Scott was in the city to-day on his way from Richmond to Leesburg to arrest Mr. J. B. McCabe, Commonwealth's Attorney of Loudoun, who was fined by Judge Bond last week for prosecuting coupon suits. If Mr. McCabe pays the \$100 fine and dismisses the suits he will be discharged at once, otherwise he will be taken to Richmond.

**CUT.**—Yesterday while two young men, Wm. Deahl and Jas. Nagles, were skylarking at the Columbia engine house the former was cut across the abdomen by the latter with a knife but was not seriously hurt.

Young Deahl was taken to the drug store of Mr. J. D. H. Lunt, where the cut was closed with court plaster and to-day he was able to go to work.

**THE COLORED CONVENTION.**—The date for the independent colored convention to meet in Charlottesville Oct. 12 has been extended until Oct. 19, in order to afford greater opportunity for electing delegates.

**BRILLIANT WEDDING.**—The handsome residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Elliott, at the corner of Van Buren street and Eleventh avenue, was beautifully and brilliantly illuminated on last evening and the parlor was thrown open to the 250 invited guests who assembled to be present and witness the nuptials of Miss Francis L. Elliott to Captain W. McA. Greene, both of whom have been favorites in society circles in this city. The affair was in all respects one of the most brilliant ever witnessed in Topeka. The parlor and interior decoration was unsurpassable, both in design and finish. The first sight on entering the handsome parlor was the beautiful bridal altar, extending across the east side of the room, surrounded by a panel of formed of fairy flowers. In the center of which was a folding gate fastened with a dainty satin ribbon. Surmounting the pinnacles at either side of the gate were two white doves half screened by tulle lace, which fell in graceful folds above the altar. A rich collection of palms and begonias set off the back ground and threw a delicate perfume over the gorgeous surroundings. At 8 o'clock the little brother and sister of the bride entered the room and threw open the gates. Next came the venerable Bishop Vail, parents of the bride and groom, the two principles and assistants. The bride was tastefully arrayed in shaded silk, point lace, faille Francaise and moire; square neck, short sleeves, court train and natural flowers—white roses in hair and bosom; with no jewelry except the magnificent marriage ring. The groom wore the conventional black Prince Albert and looked very handsome. His best men were similarly attired. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Bishop Vail, after which congratulations followed. The refreshments were all that the daintiest epicure could desire, and were served in the commodious dining room, handsomely decorated with natural flowers and smiles. The presents were handsome and costly, and were greatly admired by the representatives of wealth, beauty and elegance present.—*Topeka Capital, Oct. 6.*

[Mr. Green is a son of Maj. J. W. Green, of this city.]

**MONEY DRAWERS ROBBED.**—About twelve o'clock Saturday night special officer Taylor discovered that the door of Messrs. W. F. Creighton & Co.'s drug store was open, and notified one of the proprietors. Upon making a survey of the premises it was found that the two money drawers had been robbed of about three dollars in small change which had been left in them. The footprints of a bare-foot boy were traced on the floor, and it is probable that the juvenile thief hid himself in the place during the early part of the night and had been locked in when the doors were closed later.

The proprietors are satisfied that they know the thief, though they have no positive evidence against him. The suspected boy is a well known waif of kleptomaniac propensities.

**AN OBJECTIONABLE HOUSE.**—Among the papers presented to the grand jury of the Corporation Court this morning was one from a citizen, who complained of the existence of a certain house in his neighborhood which he deemed a scandal to the locality and eyesore to himself especially. He had attached to his paper a long list of persons whom he had seen making gress to and egress from said premises, and demanded that the parties be summoned as witnesses. Upon glancing over the list some of the jurymen seemed to grow nervous and after a very short conference it was considered advisable to ignore the matter for the present, and not present the case to Court.

**DISEASE AMONG HORSES.**—A strange disease exists among the horses of the city and a number have recently died. The horses are taken suddenly ill, their limbs become stiff, but they are not afflicted with fever. The disease is puzzling many who consider themselves horse doctors, and an epidemic is feared.

**RANK REDUCED.**—The Charlotte, N. C. Chronicle says: "Capt. John Lally, with his corps of hands, has been ordered to this point to construct new abutments at Broad river bridge. It is generally believed a new iron bridge will soon be built." What's the matter? It was Colonel Lally when he lived here.

**MR. VERNON AVENUE.**—We are requested by the chairman, Mr. F. R. Windsor, to say that a meeting of the Committee on Right of Way and Permanent Location of the Mt. Vernon Association will be held at Willard's Hotel, in Washington, on Wednesday.

When all so-called remedies fail, Dr. Sully's Catarrh Remedy cures.

**Interesting News.**

When next you come to Washington and are on the lookout for something rare and at the same time very useful, you will be agreeably surprised at Lansburgh & Bro.'s, where you will find—

All Leatherette-line Pocket Books for 25c, in beautiful designs. These books will not crack or wear, you can scarcely tell these from a \$2 book.

50 dozen White Silk Handkerchiefs, full-sized, hemstitched, 25c each.

20 dozen Ladies' Melton Skirts, differently made, with nice plaiting of same or contrast color, all full sizes and worth from \$1.25 to \$1.75, we have for 95c.

50 all-Silk Satin Scarfs, beautiful designs, satin-lined, made similar to \$1 Scarfs, nobby styles, full-made, only 39c each.

50 fancy Benetle Cloth Jackets, nicely made, good-fitting, \$3.98; all sizes.

Striped Walking Jackets in new coloring, a slightly garment, equal in appearance to any \$10 Coat, only \$1.98.

Black Newmarkets, well made and nicely finished, good black, only \$1.98.

For \$2.25 we are showing a fine Seal Plush, Satin quilted lined, Chamois Pockets, Seal Skin loops, made exactly like a Seal Skin Coat.

We continue to engrave your name on a copper plate and print therefrom 50 cards for 86c.

Best possible work. All work guaranteed first class. Don't fail to see these and scores of similar bargains when next you come to Washington.

**Messrs. Wm. Berkley and Wm. Ogden.** Two young men well known in Alexandria, are employed in our store. Either of these gentlemen will be pleased to attend to any commission for any Alexandria people who are not able to visit us.

LANSBURG & BRO., 420, 422, 424 and 426 Seventh st., Washington, D. C.

**LOST AND FOUND.**

**LOST.**—Last night a HEAVY GOLD RING. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to this office. oct5 3c

**LOST.**—On Sunday, October 21, a GOLD and JET FAKING for which the finder will be rewarded if left at this office. oct7 3c

**LOST.**—CERTIFICATE OF TWO SHARES, No. 113, of the Alexandria Marine Railway and Shipbuilding Company. The finder will be rewarded by returning it to JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON, corner of King and Royal streets. oct6 eolt

**WINNERS' FOLDER.** Sheet Zinc, Bar Lead and Tin, Sheet Brass, Copper and Iron Rivets, full stock always at JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS, aug20 Alexandria, Va.

**WE OFFER special inducements in GUNS, PISTOLS, SHELLS, &c., and other goods in that line. Call and see at 88 King, corner of Royal street. sep27 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.**

**FINE PERFUMERY.** Something New. Blue Belle of Scotland, Trailing Arbutus, Tally Ho, Marchal Niel Eos and Alpine Violets &c. JES28 JOHN D. H. LUNT'S.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

A number of country merchants were in the city to-day making their fall purchases. A horse belonging to Messrs. Summers & Allen died on Saturday after a short illness.

During the past few nights the hen roosts of a number of gentlemen in different parts of the city have been robbed.

The sale of the Eureka Saw and Bolt Works, advertised to take place on Wednesday next, has been postponed till the 19th.

The regular monthly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. will be held to-night at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is desired, as business of importance is to be transacted.

A "dummy" which has recently adorned the window of a clothing house on King street, attracts much attention by its striking resemblance to a prominent citizen.

Mr. Wm. H. Greenwell, with about forty of his pupils from Washington school No. 2, spent last Saturday in Washington, visiting the panorama and public buildings, to the enjoyment of all.

At Mr. John P. Clark's store, on King street, is a very fine charcoal drawing of Gen. R. E. Lee on "Traveller." This is the work of Miss Fanny Burke, and will be sent to Richmond to be exhibited at the fair.

A paper is in circulation in Fairfax county, and is being numerously signed by voters irrespective of party, pledging themselves not to support any one for the Legislature unless he promises to advocate the present road law of that county.

Hereafter the Inland and Seaboard Coasting Company will run but one steamer from Washington to Norfolk—the Lady of the Lake—which will make a trip every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. The Moseley has been withdrawn from the line.

A slight disturbance occurred on South Washington street, yesterday evening, between two young men, residents of that neighborhood, but was quieted before any blows were struck. The matter afterwards was amicably settled and the two became friends again.

The Washington Cane Club, with some of its guests, returned to Washington on Saturday evening from a week's "outing" at Mount Vernon Springs, by the river side, some rods below Mount Vernon. During last week the camp was a pleasant one; visits were made by members of other canoe clubs, and some matches of speed with paddle and with sale made.

The authorities have been notified that several young men of this city have been violating the game law in shooting partridges out of season. They will be watched.

The steamer Excelsior passed down the river yesterday evening from Washington for Baltimore, where she goes for repairs.

Mr. G. E. Price will have some fine salt water trout and tailors for sale in market to-morrow.

**MEDICINAL.**

**ELY'S CATARRH Cream Balm**

Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Allays Pain and Inflammation, Heals the Sores, Restores the Sensibility of Taste and Smell. Try THE CURE

A particle is applied into each nostril and is agreeable. Price 50 cts. at druggists; by mail, registered, 60 cts. Circulars free.

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**WANTED TO PURCHASE.**—A PAIR OF BRASS ANDIRONS AND FENDER. Address J. GAZETTE office. oct7 3t

**WANTED.**—A LARGE HOUSE SUITABLE FOR A BOARDING HOUSE. Apply to HUFFY & DYER, 13th and F streets, Washington, D. C. oct7 4t

**FOR SALE.**

**FOR SALE.**—A LARGE-SIZE PORTABLE FURNACE, in perfect order; also a SEVEN-OCTAVE LOCKWOOD PIANO. (No farther use for.) Apply at 614 Prince st. oct8 2t

**FOR SALE AND RENT.**

**FOR RENT.**—HOUSE No. 216 south Washington street. \$240 per annum, payable monthly. Possession November 1st. Apply to JOHN T. NALLS, 820 King st. oct9 1w

**FOR RENT.**—The THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING, in good order on south Pitt street, between Prince and Duke. Rent \$200 per year. Apply to JNO. A. DIXON, oct6 1e\*

**STOREHOUSE FOR RENT.**

I offer for rent my Storehouse in the town of Paris, Fauquier county, Va., now occupied by J. V. Burton & Co. Possession given the 1st day of October next. The house is new, large, complete and commodious, and a good stand for business. The postoffice is kept in the building. Correspondence solicited. W. W. ROGERS, Paris, Fauquier co., Va., aug18 1f

**FAIRS.**

**LADIES' FAIR.** McBURNEY'S HALL, October 17th to 27th, 1887

For the BENEFIT OF THE BUILDING FUND OF POTOMAC LODGE, No. 38, I. O. O. F. Season ticket: 50 cents. sep20 1m

**OYSTERS.**

**JAS. E. MCKENNEY & CO.,** Wholesale and Retail Dealers in OYSTERS, NO. 219 KING STREET.

Oysters of the best quality received from Norfolk daily and delivered in any part of the city. Orders from the country solicited. Great care given to packing. oct4 1m

**NOTICE.**

OFFICE OF THE ALEXANDRIA WATER CO. All persons who are in arrears in payment of their water bills are hereby notified that unless paid by the 15th of October the WATER WILL BE CUT OFF from their premises. By order of the Board of Directors: B. WHEAT, President. oct1 15

**DR. HORTON'S MIASMA ANTIDOTE.**

THE ONLY INFALLIBLE REMEDY FOR MALARIA AND FEVER AND AGUE. It never fails to effect a speedy and permanent cure. For sale by WARFIELD & HALL. oct13

## FANCY GROCERIES.

## Fresh Creamery Butter

FOR SALE BY

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## Extra Fancy WHITE CLOVER HONEY

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GUARANTEED STRICTLY PURE.

## Whole and Pure Ground Spices.

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## SHREDDED OATS

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## FRESH GROUND OATMEAL

AND

## Crushed Wheat

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**MISS CIVALIER** Will resume her CALISTHENIC CLASS

October 11th, 1887, at her residence, 429 north Washington street oct6 4t

**CALISTHENIC.** Mrs. LITTLE'S CALISTHENIC CLASS

will be resumed Oct. 17. sep22 1m

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**BOOKS AND STATIONERY.**

**NEW BOOKS AT FRENCH'S** 417 and 419 KING STREET.

The Earth Trembled. E. P. Roe. \$1.50. Esther, a book for girls. Miss Carey. \$1.25. Gethse. By Holmes. \$1.50. Ros Man of Orn. \$1.25. A Plucky One. 50c. Thistle. \$1.

Confessions of a Society Man. \$1.25. Bread in the Desert. McKim. \$1.25. War and Peace. Tolstoy. Vendetta. Marie Owell.

Little Sunshine is the most beautiful juvenile book of the season. 50c.

New Books, Magazines, Daily and Weekly Papers received as soon as published. Everything in SCHOOL BOOKS and supplies, wholesale and retail. G. E. FRENCH. oct7

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50 ROLLS OF CARPET,

50 ROLLS OF OIL CLOTH,

20 BALES OF BLANKETS,

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All in our store, marked and ready to sell cheaper than ever before

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Ye Olden-times Calicoes, yard wide, heavy and thick, 8½c.

Beautiful Worsted Dress Goods 10c a yard.

58-inch wide Table Cloth, Turkey red, at 25c a yard.

36-inch wide Scrim, for curtains, 5c a yard.

15-inch fine and heavy Linen Crash at 8c a yard.

We in fact have our store filled from cellar to top, and have spared no pains, trouble or expense to have one of the largest and best assorted stocks kept anywhere.

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Is complete. Our Trimming Department has the finest and best goods in Beaded Trimmings, Plushes, Velvets, &c.

## OUR MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT

Was never in better condition. We have the choice goods in leading styles and make. Our arrangements for cutting, fitting and making are all complete, and a fit is guaranteed.

We have a great many novelties in our store, such as Table Scarfs, Bureau Covers, Lambrequins and other fancy embroidered work.

A full line of Jackets, Cloaks, Wraps, Visites, Raglans, &c., &c.

Large variety of Lace Curtains, Portiers and Upholstery Goods.

We invite all to examine our stock, prices and goods; sample them, compare them and act according to your good judgment.

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